

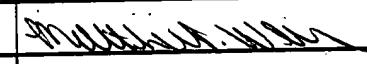
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10 For: Heat- and pressure-resistant bottle with increased oxygen barrier

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**AMENDMENT**

20 Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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25 This is in response to the Office Action with a mailing date of August 21, 2006, having a  
response due by November 21, 2005 (three-month shortened statutory period), extendable under 37  
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The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.